

How Do I Find Child Care In My Area?

The best way to find child care in your community is through the statewide network of [child care resource and referral agencies \(R&R\)](#). There is at least one R&R in your county funded by the State Department of Education to provide information on the child care available in your area.

Other resources are: your local child care planning council, the telephone book yellow pages under "child care" or "school/preschool & kindergarten," and friends, family or neighbors. Be sure to ask for and check references, and conduct an in-person interview to determine if the person or program is right for you and your child.

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